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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (Currently amended): A hydrogenated nitrile rubber ~~composition~~ composition, which comprises 100 parts by weight of hydrogenated nitrile rubber with a bound acrylonitrile content of at least ~~not less than~~ 30%, a Mooney viscosity ML_{1+4} (100°C) of ~~not more than~~ 80 or less (median value) and an iodine number of ~~not more than~~ 28 or less (median value) and 65 to 200 parts by weight of carbon fibers.

Claim 2 (Currently amended): A hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition according to Claim 1, which further contains ~~wherein not more than~~ 100 or less parts by weight of carbon black, ~~black is further contained.~~

Claim 3 (Currently amended): A hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition according to Claim 1, which further contains ~~wherein not more than~~ 60 or less parts by weight of graphite, ~~graphite is further contained.~~

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Claim 4 (Currently amended): A hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition according to Claim 1, which further contains ~~wherein~~ 30 to 100 parts by weight of carbon black and 5 to 60 parts by weight of graphite, ~~graphite are further contained.~~

Claim 5 (Currently amended): A hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition according to Claim 2, ~~3 or~~ 4, wherein a sum total of fillers in the composition, including carbon fibers, ~~fibers~~ is 90 to 250 parts by weight.

Claim 6 (Currently amended): A molding material for sealing members which comprises the hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition of ~~according to Claim 1. 1, for use as a molding materials~~ ~~for sealing members.~~

Claim 7 (Currently amended): A molding material for sealing members which comprises the hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition according to ~~to Claim 4. 4, for use as a molding material for~~ ~~sealing members.~~

Claim 8 (New): A hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition according to Claim 3, wherein a sum total of fillers in the composition, including carbon fibers, is 90 to 250 parts by weight.

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Claim 9 (New): A hydrogenated nitrile rubber composition according to Claim 4, wherein a sum total of fillers in the composition, including carbon fibers, is 90 to 250 parts by weight.